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TO: USPTO Group Art Unit 3644**05/21/2004****ATTN: Examiner Bret C. Hayes****FAX # (703) 872-9306****Serial # 10/619,300****Filed 07/14/2003****Applicant: Burdette, et al.****Docket 20228****MESSAGE:** Dear Examiner Hayes:

Please enter the following Amendment A of record in the above cited application. No formal drawings, fees or formal signatures are required and Applicants believe that this facsimile transmission included on PTO/SB/21 is in compliance with the requirements set forth in 37CFR1.6 and 1.8. Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and allowance of the remaining claims in this application, however, if the Examiner persists with any of the rejections, Applicants also respectfully request the Examiner's assistance in making the claims allowable.

Respectfully submitted,



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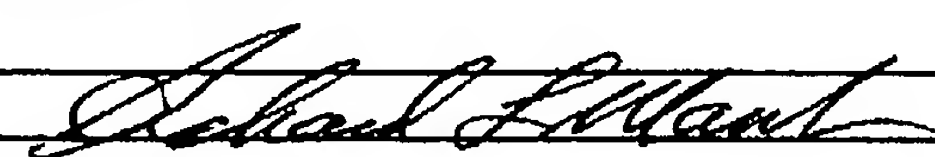
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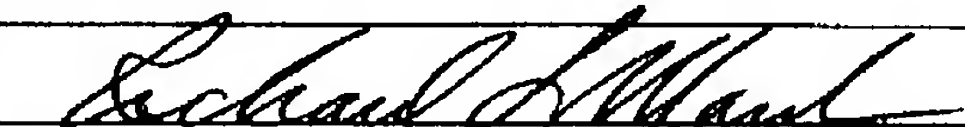
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Burdette, et al.

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Examiner: Bret C. Hayes

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The Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231AMENDMENT A

Sir:

Responsive to the Official Action of 09 March 2004, please amend the specification,
Serial number 10/619,300 as follows.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 3, 8, 9 and 10 without prejudice to Applicants' rights to file
divisional claims on the matter contained therein and amend claims 1, 4, 13 and 16 - 19 as follows.
In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.121, Applicants submit a complete set of amended claims in the
instant application with claim identifiers for all claims and marked up portions of amended claims.
The claims begin on separate page 2. Remarks begin on page 5.

FEES:

Applicants have canceled claims 3, 8 - 10 and amended claims 1, 4, 13 and 16 - 19 in
the original specification in order to comply with the statutes and to overcome prior art rejections as
advanced in the Office Action of 09 March 2004. Applicants believe that no fees are required,
however, Applicants respectfully request prompt notification in case missing fees are required in
order correct such deficiency in a timely manner so that this amendment will be fully responsive on
the effective date thereof.

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